

BEFORE THE
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

ANNUAL COMPLIANCE REVIEW, 2015

Docket No. ACR2015

NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING
OF REVISED VERSION OF USPS-FY15-NP2 -- ERRATA
(September 20, 2016)

The Postal Service hereby gives notice of filing of a revised version of the material indicated below as part of the **Non-Public Annex** in this proceeding:

**USPS-FY15-NP2 FY 2015 International Cost and Revenue Analysis
(ICRA) Report (Hard Copy and Excel)**

These revisions relate to Commission Order No. 3519 (September 16, 2016), and are explained in the Attachment to this Notice. A description of the revisions can be found at the end of the revised Preface to USPS-FY15-NP2. Since only two of many files in USPS-FY15-NP2 are revised, the disk provided is a supplemental disk, containing only a revised Preface and the two revised files. None of the revisions to USPS-FY15-NP2 alter the nonpublic nature of its contents.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHMENT

The revisions filed today reflect a minor change to two models included with the FY15 files that were contained in the USPS-ACR15-NP2 <ICM Costing> directory, and consist of revised inputs to each of these models – the ISAL IPA Model FY15 and the ISC Dropship Model FY15. Errors were recently detected upstream in the FY2015 ACR documentation, and thus only cause changes in the *inputs* to the NP2 models. No changes were made in the USPS-FY15-NP2 models other than substituting the corrected input values for the previous incorrect values.

The input changes are directly rooted in errors in the IOCS programming code (relative to what was presented in USPS-FY15-37). The relevant IOCS coding in the FY2015 ACR required correction because it was failing to properly reflect all of the information recorded by the IOCS data collectors.¹ In essence, tallies associated with international mail sacks that should have been coded to specific single products were in some instances, because of missing code, instead by default being coded to Mixed Mail. Inserting the intended rows of code allowed the tallies to be consistently and properly assigned to the activity codes for the single products associated with the sack tags the data collectors had identified. The corrected FY2015 IOCS outputs then became the corrected inputs now used to revise the ISAL IPA and ISC Dropship models previously submitted in the FY2015 ACR in USPS-FY15-NP2.

¹ For a more detailed explanation of the programming flaws and how they were corrected, please see the Postal Service's Motion for Partial Reconsideration of Order No. 3488 (September 1, 2016), submitted in Docket No. CP2016-261.